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1. CAMERA B 5 WAS USED IN MISSION 3772 FLOWN ON 14 NOVEMBER 1963; PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY NAVY PIC.

2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE:

A. THE EXPOSURE WAS ADEQUATE AND THE RESOLUTION IS FAIR DUE TO THE ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS THAT EXIST THROUGHOUT THE MISSION.

B. 9R SIDE: A PLUS DENSITY STREAK 3.25" FROM AND PARALLEL TO THE OUTBOARD EDGE IS CONTINUOUS THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. PINHOLES ARE NUMEROUS AND CONCENTRATED ALONG AN AREA APPROXIMATELY 3" WIDE AT THE INBOARD EDGE. AN EXAMPLE MAY BE FOUND ON FRAME 533 WHERE 47 PINHOLES WERE COUNTED. EDGE FOG AND EMULSION BLISTERS ARE MINOR AND INTERMITTENT THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. HEAT SPLICES ON FRAMES 452 AND 1114 APPEAR TO BE THE GENISSES OF INTERMITTENT TRANSVERSE, PLUS DENSITY BANDS FOR 50 FRAMES EITHER SIDE OF EACH SPLICE. A MANUFACTURING SPLICE AND ASSOCIATED PROCESSING STREAKS APPEAR ON FRAME 1433. THE 2L POSITION INDICATOR LAMP FAILS TO OPERATE INTERMITTENTLY IN THE FIRST 50 PER CENT OF THE MISSION AND BECOMES ENTIRELY INOPERATIVE IN THE LAST 50 PER CENT.

C. 9L SIDE: INBORAD ROLLER CHATTER IS CONTINUOUS THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. A MINUS DENSITY STREAK 0.05" FROM AND PARALLEL

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Declassification Review by NGA/DoD

Excluded from automatic
downgrading and
declassification

TO THE INBOARD EDGE IS CONTINUOUS FROM FRAME 1 THROUGH FRAME 1500. PLUS DENSITY STREAKS ALONG THE MAJOR AXIS OF THE FILM (PROBABLY PRE-PROCESSING ABRASIONS) ARE INTERMITTENT THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. (EXAMPLE FRAMES 236-249). INBOARD EDGE FOG IS INTERMITTENT FROM FRAME 1168 TO THE END OF THE MISSION.

D. BOTH SIDES: GHOST IMAGES OF ALL POSITION INDICATORS APPEAR SIMULTANEOUSLY AS THE PROPER POSITION IS CORRECTLY RECORDED. PROCESSING STREAKS ARE CONTINUOUS THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. THERE ARE 1824 TITLED FRAMES ON EACH SIDE OF THIS MISSION.

E. THERE WERE NO MAJOR CAMERA MALFUNCTIONS OR PROCESSING ANOMALIES.

3. POSITIVE:

A. PRINTING AND PROCESSING WERE GOOD.

B. PI SUITABILITY IS FAIR DUE TO THE ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS.

C. CLOUDS OBSCURE OR DEGRADE APPROXIMATELY 85 PER CENT OF THIS MISSION.

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